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8	UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	
9	FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA	
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11	MALANJE PHEA,	No. 2:20-cv-0283 WBS KJN P
12	Petitioner,	
13	v.	<u>ORDER</u>
14	CHRISTIAN PFEIFFER, Warden,	
15	Respondent.	
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17	Petitioner is a state prisoner, proceeding pro se, with an application for a writ of habeas	
18	corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254. On December 27, 2021, petitioner filed a motion to vacate	
19	judgment and to reopen this case. (ECF No. 82.) However, final judgment has not yet been	
20	entered. Therefore, petitioner's motion is premature and is denied without prejudice. (See ECF	
21	No. 74 at 2:8-11.)	
22	Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that petitioner's motion (ECF No. 82) is denied	
23	without prejudice.	
24	Dated: January 24, 2022	.
25		Fordal J. Newman
26	/phea0283.pre	KENDALL J. NEWMAN UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
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